



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents
United States Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

NASA AMES RESEARCH CENTER
ATTN: PATENT COUNSEL
MAIL STOP 202A-4
MOFFETT FIELD CA 94035-1000

COPY MAILED

MAR 18 2005

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

In re Application of	:	
Sarrazin, et al.	:	DECISION ON PETITION
Application No. 10/808,704	:	
Filed: March 17, 2004	:	
Attorney Docket No. ARC-15101-1	:	

This is a decision on the petition filed February 15, 2005, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b), to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts, mailed June 7, 2004. This Notice set a period for reply of two months from the mailing date of the Notice to submit an executed oath or declaration, a surcharge for its late filing, and replacement drawings. On November 23, 2004, applicants filed a declaration and the late surcharge, made timely by obtaining a four month extension of time. However, applicants did not file replacement drawings. A Notice of Incomplete Reply was mailed on December 13, 2004, informing applicants that the period for reply for submission of drawings would remain as set forth in the Notice to File Missing Parts. No replacement drawings having been received, the application became abandoned on December 8, 2004. The mailing of this decision precedes the mailing of a Notice of Abandonment.

With the instant petition, petitioner paid the petition fee, made the proper statement of unintentional delay, and submitted replacement drawings.

The application file is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for pre-examination processing.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571)272-3207.

Cliff Congo

Cliff Congo
Petitions Attorney
Office of Petitions